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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) James H. Alstrum-Acevedo (Examiner). (3) Ms. Rivka D. Monheit; Ms. Patricia Pabst.
 (2) Johann R. Richter, Ph. D., J. D. (SPE). (4) Dr. David Diamond.

Date of Interview: 25 July 2006.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 33.

Identification of prior art discussed: No specific prior art references were explicitly discussed.

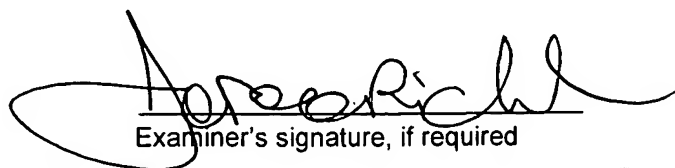
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Ms. Pabst discussed the background to the claimed invention; highlighted that the claims of the instant application claim a diketopiperazine complexed to monomeric or dimeric insulin; and explained the differences between Applicants' diketopiperazine/insulin complexes and insulin encapsulated by diketopiperazine. The Examiner's attention was directed to Examples 1 and 3 of the instant application. The general differences between the prior art and the instant application were discussed, especially the meaning of the words "encapsulated" and "complexed".